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August 14, 2015

CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT
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William G. Gaines
Monument Resources, LLC.
914 Twin Rocks Dr.
Bluff, UT 84512

Subject: Proposed Assessment for State Cessation Order No.MC-2015-68-01, Monument Resources, LLC., Limestone Mine, S/037/0123, San Juan County, Utah

Response Due By: 30 Days of Receipt

Dear Mr. Gaines:

The undersigned has been appointed by the Division of Oil, Gas & Mining as the assessment officer for assessing penalties under R647-7.

The Cessation Order was issued by Division inspector, Mike Bradley, on April 20, 2015 (effective date of April 29, 2015 – the date of service). Rule R647-7-103 et. seq. has been utilized to determine the proposed penalty of \$22,500.00. Since this Cessation Order has not been abated, the amount of civil penalty is based on a minimum of \$750 per day for 30 days after the due date for abatement, for the total of \$22,500. Please note, this proposed assessment DOES NOT relieve you of your responsibility to properly permit the site before you continue activities, or to immediately reclaim the site.

Under R647-7-106, there are two informal appeal options available to you. You may appeal the 'fact of the violation', the proposed civil penalty, or both. If you wish to informally appeal you should file a written request for an informal conference within thirty 30 days of receipt of this letter.

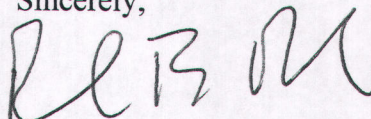



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The informal conference will be conducted by a Division-appointed conference officer. The informal conference for the fact of the violation is distinct from the informal assessment conference regarding the proposed penalty. If you wish to review both the fact of the violation and proposed penalty assessment, you should file a written request for an assessment conference within thirty (30) days of receipt of this letter. In this case, the assessment conference will be scheduled immediately following the review of the fact of the violation.

If a timely request for review is not made, the fact of the violation will stand, the proposed penalty will become final, and will be due and payable within thirty (30) days of the date of this proposed assessment (by September 14, 2015). Please remit payment to the Division, mail c/o Sheri Sasaki.

Sincerely,



 Lynn Kunzler
Assessment Officer

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cc: Nordeen Family Properties, LLC
Sheri Sasaki, Accounting
Vickie Southwick, Exec. Sec.

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